(such as the Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia (FARC), the National Liberation Army (ELN), and the United Self-Defense Forces of Colombia (AUC)); and

- (2) to take actions to protect human health and welfare in emergency circumstances, including undertaking rescue operations.
- (b) APPLICABILITY OF CERTAIN LAWS AND LIMITATIONS.—The use of funds pursuant to the authority in subsection (a) shall be subject to the following:
- (1) Sections 556, 567, and 568 of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2002 (Public Law 107–115; 115 Stat. 2160, 2165, and 2166).
- (2) Section 8077 of the Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2004 (Public Law 108-87: 117 Stat. 1090).
- (3) The numerical limitations on the number of United States military personnel and United States individual civilian contractors in section 3204(b)(1) of the Emergency Supplemental Act, 2000 (division B of Public Law 106–246; 114 Stat. 575), as amended by the Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2002 (115 Stat. 2131).
- (c) LIMITATION ON PARTICIPATION OF UNITED STATES PERSONNEL.—No United States Armed Forces personnel or United States civilian contractor employed by the United States Armed Forces will participate in any combat operation in connection with assistance made available under this section, except for the purpose of acting in self defense or during the course of search and rescue operations for United States citizens.

Mr. SESSIONS. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent that the committee amendments be agreed to, that the amendments that are at the desk be agreed to, that the bill, as amended, be read a third time and passed, the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table en bloc, and that any statements relating to the bill be printed in the RECORD.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The committee amendments were agreed to.

The amendments (Nos. 4059 and 4060) were agreed to, as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 4059

(Purpose: To strike section 306, relating to a repeal of the limitation on the length of service as a member of the Select Committee on Intelligence of the Senate)

On page 16, strike lines 1 through 16.

AMENDMENT NO. 4060

On page 9, line 16, add at the end the following: "Such funds shall remain available until September 30, 2005.".

On page 16, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

SEC. 307. INTELLIGENCE ASSESSMENT ON SANCTUARIES FOR TERRORISTS.

- (a) ASSESSMENT REQUIRED.—Not later than the date specified in subsection (b), the Director of Central Intelligence shall submit to Congress an intelligence assessment that identifies and describes each country or region that is a sanctuary for terrorists or terrorist organizations. The assessment shall be based on current all-source intelligence.
- (b) Submittal Date.—The date of the submittal of the intelligence assessment required by subsection (a) shall be the earlier of—
- (1) the date that is six months after the date of the enactment of this Act; or
 - (2) June 1, 2005.

SEC. 308. ADDITIONAL EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR FINAL REPORT OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR THE REVIEW OF THE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS OF THE UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.

Section 1007(a) of the Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2003 (Public Law 107-306; 50 U.S.C. 401 note) is amended by striking "September 1, 2004" and inserting "September 1, 2005".

SEC. 309. FOUR-YEAR EXTENSION OF PUBLIC INTEREST DECLASSIFICATION BOARD.

Section 710(b) of the Public Interest Declassification Act of 2000 (title VII of Public Law 106-567; 114 Stat. 2856; 50 U.S.C. 435 note) is amended by striking "4 years" and inserting "8 years".

On page 19, strike lines 7 through 15 and insert the following:

"(1) IN GENERAL.—The Director may establish and administer a nonofficial cover employee retirement system for designated employees (and the spouse, former spouses, and survivors of such designated employees). A des-

On page 21, strike line 18 and all that follows through page 22, line 1, and insert the following:

"(iii) in the case of a designated employee who participated in an employee investment retirement system established under paragraph (1) and is converted to coverage under subchapter III of chapter 84 of title 5, United States Code, the Director may transmit any or all amounts of that designated employee in that employee investment retirement system (or similar

On page 22, strike line 24 and all that follows through page 23, line 5, and insert the following:

"(1) IN GENERAL.—The Director may establish and administer a nonofficial cover employee health insurance program for designated employees (and the family of such designated employees). A designated employee

On page 25, strike lines 6 through 12 and insert the following:

"(1) IN GENERAL.—The Director may establish and administer a nonofficial cover employee life insurance program for designated employees (and the family of such designated employees). A designated employee may not

On page 27, line 8, strike "(B)(iii)" and insert "(B)(iv)".

On page 30, strike lines 10 through 16.

The bill (S. 2386), as amended, was read the third time and passed, as follows:

(The bill will be printed in a future edition of the RECORD.)

AMENDING SECTION OF IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY ACT

Mr. SESSIONS. I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of H.R. 4306, which is at the desk.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 4306) to amend Section 274A of the Immigration and Nationality Act to improve the process for verifying an individual's eligibility for employment.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. SESSIONS. I ask unanimous consent that the bill be read a third time and passed, the motion to reconsider be

laid upon the table, and that any statements relating to the bill be printed in the RECORD.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The bill (H.R. 4306) was read the third time and passed.

AMENDING AND AUTHORIZING JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER ACT AND JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER FOR PERFORMING ARTS

Mr. SESSIONS. I ask unanimous consent that the Senate now proceed to consideration of H.R. 5294, which is at the desk.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 5294) to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize appropriations for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and for other purposes.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. SESSIONS. I ask unanimous consent that the bill be read a third time and passed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and any statements relating to the bill be printed in the RECORD.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The bill (H.R. 5294) was read the third time and passed.

IMPROVING ACCESS TO PHYSI-CIANS IN MEDICALLY UNDER-SERVED AREAS

Mr. SESSIONS. I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of Calendar No. 775, S. 2302.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (S. 2302) to improve access to physicians in medically underserved areas.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill which had been reported from the Committee on the Judiciary, with an amendment to strike all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

[Strike the part in black brackets and insert in lieu thereof the part printed in italic.]

S. 2302

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled.

[SECTION 1. WAIVER OF FOREIGN COUNTRY RES-IDENCE REQUIREMENT WITH RE-SPECT TO INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL GRADUATES.

[(a) EXTENSION OF DEADLINE.—Section 220(c) of the Immigration and Nationality Technical Corrections Act of 1994 (8 U.S.C. 1182 note) (as amended by section 11018 of Public Law 107–273) is amended by striking "2004." and inserting "2009."

[(b) DESIGNATION OF HEALTH PROFESSIONAL SHORTAGE AREAS BY STATE AGENCIES.—Section 214(1)(1)(D) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1184(1)(1)(D)) is amended—